

STATE	Ombudsman Office	# Of License	Operating Budget	FTE	Boards & Programs	State Programs
Alaska	Alaska Ombudsman - Investigates citizen complaints against state government agencies and employees.	67,406	\$ 6,117,998	469 (Total for Commerce not broken out by service)	Various boards and commissions for oversight	Has a program similar to New Mexico (Option 1) – Here is the link: <a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/Professionallicensing.aspx">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/Professionallicensing.aspx</a>
Arkansas	Long Term Care Ombudsman				Various boards and commissions for oversight	Has program similar to Virginia (Option 2). Covers Medical Doctors, Physician Assistants, Occupational Therapy Assistants, Radiology Practitioner Assistants, Doctors of Osteopathy, Occupational Therapists, Respiratory Therapists, Medical Corporations
California	Corrections Ombudsman; Long Term Care Ombudsman; Medical Managed Care Ombudsman; Sacramento County Ombudsman (DHHS Ombudsman) - All HHS agency policies and practices					similar to Oklahoma currently – has separate boards for Medical Doctors and Osteopathic Doctors.
Colorado	Aging; Childrens Services	347,000	\$ 16,000,000	191	53 professions; 28 Boards	Has a hybrid New Mexico (Option 1)/ Virginia (Option 2) program – Here is the link to the overall program: <a href="https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/dora/node/87936">https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/dora/node/87936</a> Here is the link to the specific Healthcare Professionals licensure program: <a href="https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/dora/HPPP">https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/dora/HPPP</a>

<b>Georgia</b>	Long Term Care & Disabilities Ombudsman	Various Agencies	Various Agencies	Various Agencies	Various boards and commissions for oversight	Has a composite Medical Board similar to Virginia (Option 2), that covers: Acupuncturist, Auricular Ear Detoxification Technician, Clinical Perfusionist, Cosmetic Laser Practitioner, Pain Management Clinic, Physician, Physician Assistant (including Anesthesiologist Assistant), Resident Training Physician, Respiratory Care Professional, Orthoptist and/or Prosthetist, Nurse Protocol (APRN) Agreement. Here is the link: <a href="http://medicalboard.georgia.gov/">http://medicalboard.georgia.gov/</a>
<b>Hawaii</b>	Hawaii State Ombudsman - independently investigate complaints against state and county agencies and employees.	71,291	\$ 8,599,151	FTE Numbers not listed in budget request or other documents I could find.	Various boards and commissions for oversight	<a href="#">Has a program similar to New Mexico (Option 1) – Here is the link: <a href="http://cca.hawaii.gov/overview/">http://cca.hawaii.gov/overview/</a></a>
<b>Idaho</b>	Long Tem Care Ombudsman	11,358			Various boards and commissions for oversight	<a href="#">Has a single board of medicine that covers all physicians and surgeons, physician assistants, athletic trainers, dietitians, respiratory therapists, and polysomnography's. Here is the link: <a href="http://bom.idaho.gov/BOMPortal/Home.aspx">http://bom.idaho.gov/BOMPortal/Home.aspx</a></a>
<b>Illinois</b>	Long Term Care Ombudsman	1,000,000	\$ 100,514		Various boards and commissions for oversight	<a href="#">Has a program similar to New Mexico (Option 1) – Here is the link: <a href="http://www.idfor.com/">http://www.idfor.com/</a></a>

Indiana	Aging and DOC Ombudsman	500,000	\$ 6,836,080		Various boards and commissions for oversight	<a href="#">Has a program similar to New Mexico (Option 1) – Here is the link: <a href="http://www.in.gov/pla/index.htm">http://www.in.gov/pla/index.htm</a></a>
Iowa	<p>Office of the Ombudsman - The Office of Ombudsman was established by and operates under the authority of Iowa Code Chapter 2C. The office has adopted rules, Iowa Administrative Code [141], regarding the office's organization, practices and procedures.</p> <p>The Office of Ombudsman serves as an independent and impartial agency to which citizens can air their grievances about government. By facilitating communications between citizens and government and making recommendations to improve administrative practices and procedures, the Ombudsman promotes responsiveness and quality in government.</p>		\$ 1,864,815	\$1,025,359 in Personnel cost (No FTE Listed)	Various boards and commissions for oversight	has a combined M.D. and D.O. Board that also covers Acupuncturists.

Kansas	Long Term Care Ombudsman	25,606	\$ 2,600,000	82	Various boards and commissions for oversight	Has a program similar to Virginia (Option 2). Has a Board of Healing Arts that covers: Athletic Trainer, (D.C.) Doctor of Chiropractic Medicine, (D.O.) Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, (D.P.M.) Doctor of Podiatric Medicine, (L.R.T.) Radiologic Technologist, (M.D.) Doctor of Medicine and Surgery, (N.D.) Doctor of Naturopathic Medicine, (O.T.) Occupational Therapist, (O.T.A.) Occupational Therapy Assistant, (P.A.) Physician Assistant, (P.T.) Physical Therapist, (P.T.A.) Physical Therapist Assistant, (R.T.) Respiratory Therapy, Contact Lens Distributor. Here is the link: <a href="http://www.ksbha.org/main.shtml">http://www.ksbha.org/main.shtml</a>
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Louisiana	Long Term Care Ombudsman only	34,257			Various boards and commissions for oversight	Is similar to Virginia (Option 2), has a medical licensure board that covers the following: Physicians (MD and DO), Acupuncturists, Acupuncturist Assistants, , Athletic Trainers, Clinical Laboratory Personnel, Medical Psychologists, Licensed Midwives, Occupational Therapists/Occupational Therapy Assistants, Podiatrists, Perfusionist, Polysomnography Personnel, Private Radiological Technologists. Here is the link: <a href="http://www.lsbme.la.gov/">http://www.lsbme.la.gov/</a>
Maryland	Long Term Care Ombudsman	\$31,888 - State appropriation only - Fees not listed	273	Various boards and commissions for oversight	<a href="#">Has a program similar to Virginia (Option 2) contained within the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. There is a combined board for MDs and DOs and also covers "Allied Health Practitioners" which are: Athletic Trainers, Nuclear Medicine Technologists, Perfusionist, Physician Assistants, Polysomnography Technologists, Radiation Therapists, Radiographers, Radiologist Assistants, Respiratory Care Practitioners. Here is the link: <a href="http://www.mbp.state.md.us/index.html">http://www.mbp.state.md.us/index.html</a></a>	

North Carolina	Long Term Care; Children and Family Services;	43,480	\$ 8,542,000	No FTE Listed in budget request for Medical board, other licensure services	Various boards and commissions for oversight	<a href="#">Similar to Virginia (Option 2) – The North Carolina Medical Board licenses MDs, DOs, Physician's Assistants, Licensed Perfusionist, and Anesthesiology Assistants.</a> <a href="#">Also the Board registers Polysomnography's technologists, professional corporations and limited liability corporations. Here is the link:</a> <a href="http://www.ncmedboard.org/">http://www.ncmedboard.org/</a>
North Dakota	Long Term Care				Board of Physical Therapy; Nurse Aid Registry; Board of Medical Examiners;	Board of Medicine licenses MDs, DOs, Physician Assistants, Genetic Counselors and Fluoroscopy Technicians.
Virginia	Long Term Care	300,000	*\$22,153,069	FTE Total 203 - by Function Licensure - 69 Enforcement - 86 - Administration 48	•Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects •Asbestos, Lead & Home Inspectors •Auctioneers •Barbers and Cosmetology •Boxing, Martial Arts, and Professional Wrestling •Branch Pilots •Cemetery •CNG Vehicle Mechanics •Common Interest Community •Contractors •Fair Housing Board •Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians •Polygraph Examiners •Professional and Occupational Regulation •Real Estate •Real Estate Appraisers •Professional Soil Scientists, Wetland Professionals, and Geologists •Tradesmen •Waste Management Facility Operators •Waterworks and Wastewater Works Operators and Onsite Sewage System Professionals	Board of Medicine licenses MDs, DOs, Physician Assistants, Genetic Counselors and Fluoroscopy Technicians.

**Agency - Types of License**

Department of Commerce, community and Economic Development - Acupuncture - 179; Athletic Trainers - 12; Audiologist - 150; Hearing Aid Dealer - 108; Barbers - 653; Body Piercing - 53; Hairdresser - 2,000+; Manicurist - 2,000+; Tattooing and Permanent Cosmetic Coloring - 214 Department of Health and Social Services - • Alaska Pioneer Homes • Behavioral Health • Children's Services • Health Care Services • Juvenile Justice • Public Assistance • Public Health • Senior and Disabilities Services - Alaska has two agencies that provide the majority of licensing requirements.
Department of Health - the majority have individual boards to license; Abortion Clinics; Alcohol/Drug Testing; Ambulatory Surgery Centers; Continuing Education - Radiologic Technology; Critical Access Hospitals; Licensure & Medicare Certification; EMT Licensure Verification; Free Standing Birthding Centers; Health Facility; Home Health Agencies; Hospice; Hospital Based Skilled Nursing Facilities; Hospitals; Infirmarys; Orthotists; Prosthetists and Pedorthists; Outpatient Psychiatric Centers; Outpatient Surgery Centers; Perfusionists; Private Care Agencies; Cosmetology; Psychiatric Hospitals; Radiology Technology; Recuperation Centers; Rehabilitation Hospitals; Rural Health Clinics; Animal Control Officer; Pharmacy - Controlled Substances; Alcohol testing;
Barbers; Cosmetologist; Physicians; Surgeons; Psychologist; Registered Nurses; Dentists; Vocational Nursing and Physician Technicians;

Athlete Agency Regulatory Commission; Georgia Board of Barbers; Chiropractic Examiners; board of Podiatry; Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage & Family Therapist; Board of Cemeteryans; Board of Funeral Services; Board of Examiners of Licensed Practical Nurses; Optometry; Board of Physical Therapy; Board of Speech Pathology

Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs - Acupuncturist; Athletic Trainer; Audiologist; Barber; Barber Shop; Beauty Instructor; Beauty Operator; Beauty School; Beauty Shop; Cemetery Authority; chiropractor; Dental Hygienist; Dentist; Funeral; Hearing Aid Dealer & Fitter; Licensed Bachelor Social Worker; Licensed Social Worker; Marriage and Family Therapist; Massage Establishment; Massage Therapist; Medical Board Teacher; Mental Health Counselor; Mixed Martial Arts; Naturopath; APRN; APRN with prescriptive authority; LPN; run; Nursing Home Administrator; Occupational Therapist; Optician; Optometrist; Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon; Osteopathic Resident; Pharmacy; Pharmacy Wholesale Distributor; Physician; Physician Resident; Podiatrist; Psychologist; Respiratory therapist; Speech Pathologist;

Idaho Professional Licensing various agencies, commissions and boards but can access through one website portal - Audiologist; Barbers; Chiropractors; cosmetologists; Counselors and therapists; denturists; Morticians; Nurses; Occupational Therapists; Optometrist; Pharmacy; Physical Therapist; Physicians; Podiatrist; Psychologists; Residential Care; Social Worker; Speech and Audiologist

Department of Financial and Professional Regulations - Manage all licenses for Illinois

Indiana Professional Licensing Agency - •Accountancy •Acupuncture •Architects & Landscape Architects Athletic Trainers •Auctioneers Behavioral Health and Human Services Chiropractors •Cosmetology & Barber •Dentistry •Dietitians •Engineering •Funeral & Cemetery •Genetic Counselors •Health Facility Administrators •Hearing Aid Dealers •Home Inspectors •Interior Design Registry •Manufactured Home Installers•Massage Therapy •Medical (Physicians & Osteopathic Physicians) •Midwifery •Nursing Occupational Therapy •Optometry •Pharmacy •Physical Therapy •Physician Assistant •Plumbing •Podiatric Medicine •Private Investigator & Security Guard •Psychology •Real Estate •Real Estate Appraisers •Respiratory Care •Speech Language Pathology and Audiology •Surveyors •Veterinary Medicine

Department of Commerce - Professional Licensing Bureau - Athletic Training; Barbering; Behavioral Science; Chiropractic; Cosmetology Arts & Sciences; Dietetics; Hearing Aid Dispensers; Massage Therapy; Mortuary Science; Nursing Home Administrators; Optometry; Physical & Occupational Therapy; Physician Assistants; Podiatry; Psychology; Respiratory Care; Sign Language Interpreters & Translators; Social Work; Speech Pathology & Audiology

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**North Carolina Medical Board** - Physicians, MD & DO; Perfusionist; anesthesiology Assistants; Polysomnography; Technologist; - All other are specific to each profession i.e., Board of Nursing; Licensed Counselor Board; etc.

Same types of programs as other states

Architects; Asbestos; Auctioneers; Backflow Prevention Device Workers (Tradesmen); Barbers; body Piercers; Cemetery Sales Persons; contractors; Cosmetologists; Electricians (Tradesmen); Elevator Mechanics (Tradesmen); Estheticians; Fair Housing; Gas Fitters (Tradesmen); Geologists; Hearing Aid Specialists; Home Inspectors; HVAC (Tradesmen); Interior Designers; Landscape Architects; Land Surveyors & Photogrammetrists; Lead Abatement; Nail Technicians; Onsite Sewage System Professionals; Opticians; Plumbers (Tradesmen); Polygraph Examiners; Professional Engineers; Real Estate Appraisers; Real Estate Appraisers; Real Estate Salespeople & Brokers; Residential Building Energy Analysts (Individuals); Residential Building Energy Analyst Firms; Soil Scientists; Tattooists; Waste Management Facility Operators; Waste Works Operators; Water Well System Providers (Tradesmen); Waterworks Operators; Wax Technicians; Wetland Delineators